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In re Application of: Schülein et al.

Confirmation No: 1722

Serial No.: 09/576,778

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For: Family 9 Endo-Beta-1,4-Glucanases

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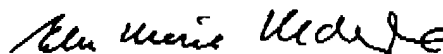
Sir:

I hereby certify that the attached correspondence comprising:

1. Amendment Fee Transmittal (in duplicate)
2. Amendment
3. Notice of Appeal (in duplicate)

was sent to the United States Patent and Trademark Office by telefax to the attention of Examiner  
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Respectfully submitted,



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## AMENDMENT FEE TRANSMITTAL

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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for the above-identified application in response to the Office Action mailed January 16, 2004.

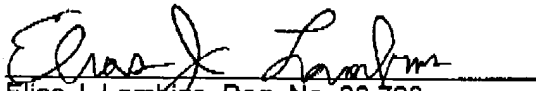
It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action be extended for a period of three months from April 16, 2004 to July 16, 2004. The required fee for the extension is estimated to be \$950.

No additional claims fee is required.

Please charge the required extension fee, estimated to be \$950, to Novozymes North America, Inc., Deposit Account No. 50-1701. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed January 16, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows: